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In re application of: Frederick M. Mako, Robert L. Bruce

Application No.: 10/773,516

Filed: 02/05/04

For: CERAMIC JOINING

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Application No.: 10/773,516

Group No.: 1791

Filed: February 5, 2004

Examiner: Michael N. Orlando

For: CERAMIC JOINING

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**  
**(37 C.F.R. § 1.114)**

1. Applicant hereby requests continued examination, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, for the above identified application.

**TIME REQUEST IS BEING MADE**

2. This request is being submitted:
  - i. Prior to abandonment of the application

**ENCLOSURES**

3. Enclosed herewith is:

An amendment

**FEE FOR REQUEST (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)).**

4. This application is on behalf of small entity (and status is still as small entity).

Continued Prosecution Request Fee: 405.00

**FEE FOR CLAIMS**

5. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

(Col.1)	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY
CLAIMS			
REMAINING	HIGHEST NO.		
AFTER	PREVIOUSLY	PRESENT	
AMENDMENT	PAID FOR	EXTRA	RATE
			ADDIT. FEE

TOTAL	3	-	20	=	0	x	\$	26.00	=	\$	0.00
INDEP.	1	-	3	=	0	x	\$	110.00	=	\$	0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					+	\$		195.00	=	\$	0.00
									TOTAL		
									ADDITIONAL FEE	\$	0.00

No additional fee for claims is required.

#### EXTENSION OF TIME

6. The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) apply.

Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(4), for two months:

Fee: \$245.00

#### TOTAL FEE(S) DUE

7. The total fee(s) due is/are:

Continued Prosecution Fee (Section 1.17(e))	\$405.00
Fee(s) for additional claims (Section 1.16(b)-(d))	\$0.00
Extension of time fee (Section 1.17(a)(1)-(4))	\$245.00
 Total Fee(s) Due:	 \$650.00

#### PAYMENT OF FEE(S) DUE

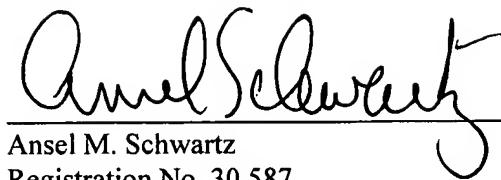
8. Please pay the fee(s) for this continued examination application as follows:

Check is attached for the sum of \$650.00.

Please charge any required additional fee(s) for § 1.17(e), § 1.16(b)-(d) and/or § 1.17(a)(1)-(4) to Account 19-0737.

#### INVENTORSHIP

9. This application as amended names as inventors the same inventors as previously designated for the claims.



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